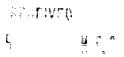
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The Continuity Shippers Association clarifies its statement dated September 23, 1999 submitted in response to the Commission's request.

The Postal Service has not stipulated to the use of the Consumer Price Index-Urban (CPIU) as the proper roll forward factor in this complaint case.

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